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will be closed this  
Friday and Saturday.**

**NOTE: "The Flaming Frontier"  
will be shown at a later date.**

## Dr. Kerby Makes Real Impression

An unusually interesting meeting of the Parent Teacher's Association was held in Campbell's hall Monday evening, March 21. Mrs. Ryan, from the chair, expressed approval of the attendance which indicated a sympathetic attitude toward the movement to co-operate in educational improvement. Dr. Kerby's address on "Problems of Modern Education" was listened to with intense interest by everyone. The speaker was both eloquent and fluent and covered his subject thoroughly. Dr. Kerby expressed his approval of the P.T.A. movement. He pointed out the possibilities of accomplishment by co-operation of Parents and Teachers. It presents a wonderful opportunity to all parents to say just what sort of education their children shall have and again to co-operate with educational authorities in fitting the youth of today for the life of tomorrow. Dr. Kerby took the name Parent Teacher's Association and dealt with each part of the name. There are three kinds of parents: 1. Those devoid of maternal or paternal instinct. 2. The affectionate parent, but too engrossed with social life to be interested in their children's welfare. 3. (And this is the largest class) whose children are their all. The speaker divided the teachers also into three classes: 1. Those who teach for money. 2. Those who make it a stepping stone to something better. 3. Those who love teaching.

Mr. Hoskins and Patterson also spoke briefly on the subject. Mr. Hoskins assuring the P.T.A. that the school board was behind them 100 per cent.

## There Is Money In Feeding Hogs

Between H. E. Gill and H. E. Smith some \$12,000.00 worth of hogs have been shipped from Champion in less than one month. On Thursday a load left for Seattle containing 205 hogs which brought over \$1,000 to this district. It is indications such as this that gives a hopeful cast to future farming operations in the district. When the cheap grain available is fed at home there will always be a more satisfactory condition existing than when it is shipped away.

## See These Coats And Dresses

The R. H. Williams Company, of Calgary, dress and coat specialists will have their new spring models on display at McCullough's Bros. store on Friday, April 1st. You are invited to call and see these goods.

Mrs. W. R. McRae was a tea hostess on Wednesday, other teas in town having been called off owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever.

Mrs. D. Watkins and small niece reached here from Iowa this week, where Mr. and Mrs. Watkins had spent the winter. Miss Onile Crane, of Calgary, was a guest of C. Schroeder's during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Beaubier returned home from California this week.

## Alston Community Has Public Library

Last week was a very busy one at the Alston Hall. On Monday night the wedding dance of George Hutton took place which was a very enjoyable affair both to young and old. The music which included three pipers was much enjoyed by all.

On Wednesday evening Mr. McAllister from the University Extension Dept. Edmonton put on a moving picture show of three parts which proved instructive and entertaining to all present. This was followed by a dance.

On Friday evening the Golden Rule W.I. gave a dance in the hall.

The Alston public library is now open to the people of the community with 220 books on the shelves. These include a variety to meet all tastes and can be obtained for a membership fee of \$1.00 to all residents. Transients to pay the value of the books taken out which will be refunded on the return of the books to the library. The library will be opened when the hall is open for public meetings and dances or after church on Sundays. All members can take two books, but these must be returned in side of two weeks. If not returned a fine of 2c per day will be imposed.

The regular meeting of the G.R.W.I. held on March 17th took the form of a St. Patrick's party held at the home of Mrs. Susan McDonald. The afternoon proved a very enjoyable one to all present.

## Card of Thanks

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Plarie and family wish to thank their friends for the many acts of kindness during our daughters operation and stay in hospital. The following for flowers and other presents: Mr. and Mrs. Voisey, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Pellor, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Beingsesner, Mr. and Mrs. Coe and family, Miss Jessie Archibald, Miss Ella Stephenson, Mr. D. Howe, Mr. J. Archibald, Mr. A. Hamilton and family. The ladies of the Golden Rule W.I.; the American Women's Club of Calgary; B.P.O.E. of Staveland and others and especially Mr. and Mrs. Voisey and Miss Jessie Archibald.

On Wednesday Mrs. F. C. Alecock organized a branch of the W.I. at Thigh Hill. This is the second Institute organized by Mrs. Alecock this year, making a total of fourteen branches to Mrs. Alecock's credit in Little Bow district, the largest number in the province in one riding.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Crawford left for Calgary by car on Tuesday, Mr. Crawford having to take more treatment for ear trouble.

Note A. Garrard's auction sale advt. in the issue. The date selected is April 4th, and A. Hopkins is the auctioneer.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Manhard on Thursday, March 31st. Mrs. H. McNaughton will serve.

Miss Rachel Smith and I. Groves motored to MeLeod for the week end, where they visited Miss May Ulrich.

Mrs. J. Archibald is in Calgary, in charge of Miss Jessie Archibald, who is ill there.

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THURSDAY, MAR. 24, 1927

Out of a total of thirty-six members of the Alberta Legislature, who are farmers by occupation, thirty-two are members of the Alberta Wheat Pool.

The making of the interim payment of 15c a bushel by the Alberta wheat pool requires the issuing of approximately 28,000 cheques and advices. The late cheques (for wheat received after the cut-off) will be out by the end of the month. The total distribution of money in the making of this interim payment is about six million dollars.

The wheat pool is warning members against purchasing for seed any of the so-called "mummy" wheat which has been advertised. "Mummy" wheat is supposed to have been found in tombs of ancient Egyptians, buried four thousand years ago. As a matter of fact wheat loses its germinative power after comparatively few years. This "mummy" wheat is really an inferior grade of Durum.

With the anticipated leasing of government terminal elevator No. 2 at Vancouver, the Alberta wheat pool will have close to three million bushels of terminal elevator facilities on the Pacific coast to handle the 1927 crop of wheat. The Prince Rupert terminal has a capacity of 1,250,000 bushels and No. 2 at Vancouver 1,600,000 bushels.

Since the formation of the wheat pools in western Canada, over half a billion dollars has been distributed to pool members by the organization. From the 1926 crop the Alberta pool has distributed about forty-six million dollars already, with further payments yet to be made.

## NOTICE

In the Estate of Angus McLean, late of Champion, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Angus McLean who died on the 4th day of September A.D. 1926 are required to file with J. Fred Scott, Barrister, 213, Lancaster Building, Calgary, Solicitor for the Administrator, by the 18th day of May, 1927 a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to her knowledge. Dated this 31st day of March, A.D. 1927.

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### VILLAGE OF CHAMPION Public Notice Re Dogs

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# Program of Construction Work In Saskatchewan Proposed By The Canadian National Railway

The programme of construction work on the Canadian National railway in Saskatchewan to be completed by August 1930, and now having the consideration of Parliament, comprises the following lines:

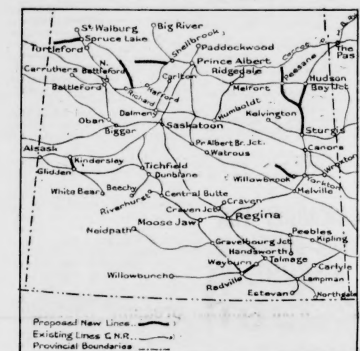
Weyburn to Radville, 22 miles.—Two objects, the railway management states, will be attained by the construction of this line; first, relief would be given to the farmers along its route in respect to their wagon haul to market; and second, the communities Radville, Houghton, and Willowbush, would be brought into more direct rail communication with the distributing centre of Weyburn, their rail distance to Weyburn being reduced by 122 miles. The route to Moose Jaw would be 19 miles shorter and to Regina, 28 miles shorter. The line would run through a well settled grain-growing district and one in which mixed farming is interesting. The road laid of the farmers to market at present reaches 14 miles in the centre of the line, and the farmers are looking forward to the development of dairying if their road had been made.

Willowbush North-Weyburn, 22 miles.—This is a development and

opening up of more land, eventually would be extended to the line with the Radville-Houghton line.

Turkfeldt, 23.5 miles, 10 to between Houghton and Radville, 23.5 miles.—The reason for proposing this line, the railway management states, is the opening up of new territory and the reduction in operating cost of the present end of the line already built and running southeast from Turkfeldt. The proposed extension from the present end of the line to link up with the Prince Albert North-Battleford line of the Canadian National would run through a series of good agricultural land, partly developed. As the line now stands, operation from the end of the line for business to and from eastern points has to be handled 72 miles extra, compared to the distance if the line were finished to a point near the town of Houghton. From same point business to and from North Battleford is penalized 21 miles.

Kimberley-Gibson, 18 miles.—This is a cut-off to offer economic and operating advantages, the cut-off is to be from the Coon Lake line to the parallel line to the south, extending from Alton to Dismal. Beyond



colonization branch in the east-end part of the province. The purpose of the line is to give better railway communication to the district north-west of Willowbush, lying between the Yorkton branch and the C.P.R. and the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific. Eventually it is intended to extend the line through the unopened area between the existing railways. With the exception of the Beaver Hills forest reserve, the area is well populated and good crops are generally obtained. It is felt that the shortening of the road haul to the farmers will offer encouragement for further settlement and development.

Strasbourg to near Preece, 160 miles.—This line in the western part of the province would open up a large area of good agricultural land and give railway transportation to the Soldiers' Settlements south of Preece. It would provide a shorter and better through route for traffic from the McLeod and Pelly-Albert lines to Winnipeg and the head of the lakes. There is ample precipitation for crop raising and mixed farming in the area. The proposed new settlement would also form part of the link between Hudson Bay Junction and the lines of the Canadian National in Southern Saskatchewan.

Preece, Northernly, 19 miles.—The purpose of this line is to open up and give rail communication to an important section of the Carrot River country. The territory on both sides of the Carrot River, as far east as Range 9, has a very good character of soil and is now being cleared off. This is one of the best grain growing districts in the West, having already in the past year. There is considerable settlement and this will be greatly encouraged by better railway facilities.

Shellbrook (near Paradise), Westernly, 27 miles.—For a considerable time the people living in the district to be traversed by the proposed line have been in need of railway facilities. There already is good settlement and development, and a high proportion of excellent agricultural land for grain growing and mixed farming. This branch which is in the opinion of the railway management justified by the cutting down of the wagon haul of the settlers and the

cently Dismal was connected by rail to the Birchbush sub-division, thus making a short route to Moose Jaw, Regina, and points east. This proposed cut-off from Kimberley to Gibson would allow of a more efficient and economical method of handling the business between points west of Alton, over the new line to Moose Jaw, Regina and points east and will allow of a better handling of motive power and improved engine terminal operation.

Spence Lake (North)—Westernly, 23.5 miles.—This proposed line is to run westerly from Spence Lake to a point near the town of Houghton, which is intended later to link up with the line running easterly from the town of Houghton. The line is topographically difficult in this branch, but as far as is possible, meet the requirements for railway relief to the districts of Paradise Hill, Tangipung and Fort Pitt. In the districts named there are good settlements with considerable development and this development will be very much increased when the transportation, which at present is difficult, is improved.

Hudson Bay Junction Southernly to meet proposed Strath-Preece Line, 32 miles.—This branch is proposed to link up the line running westerly with the main line of the Canadian National. The branch is included in the three year programme at the instance of the Department of Railways for the proper operation of railway traffic for the Hudson Bay route, on the assumption that the line will be completed before the period of three years has elapsed, the construction of the line being conditional upon the completion of the Hudson Bay Railway and of the ocean terminal to a point where through traffic could be handled.

For traffic to and from points on the Canadian National Railways south of Canada, with this link Hudson Bay Junction to Strasbourg, the line would be shorter by 120 miles than by existing lines. It is estimated that 100 trains of 50 cars each would be handled by this cut-off, exclusive of local traffic would justify the annual cost.

Jim, a guide, serving on the township of the Merrie coast in the Agency for thirty six years.

## Leaves To Supervise Operations At Bay Government Engineer Will Get Party Settling Into Work of Deciding on Best Port

Russell Yuill, Ottawa, Canadian government engineer, has gone to Hudson Bay, where a party will spend the summer investigating the merits of Churchill as a port, but will not himself remain there that length of time. The party had already gone ahead, and he was making the trip to see it get settled into its work. Twelve or fourteen men have gone north. They and their equipment was transported from the end of steel to Churchill, by airplane, and they will remain at the bay until fall.

Mr. Yuill declines to make any comment on his three years at Nelson, to draw any comparisons between Nelson and Churchill, or to remark on the advantage of either port, or on the feasibility of the Hudson Bay route at all, or the things that would have to be taken into consideration at Churchill. He said matters were perhaps the most important, they had never been investigated. The mileage of the railroad to that point and the cost of construction were other matters to be considered.

Of Nelson Mr. Yuill would say one thing—the work there was in good shape. When it was under way he left for ten years and no preparation had been made to meet the conditions. It had not been intended for permanence—it was to have been supplemented as time went on—but it stood today in splendid condition.

## Something New For Berlin First Ice Cream Soda Fountain Makes Big Hit

The American soda fountain at last has obtained a foothold in Berlin. Refreshment of almost every other sort in the world has been long obtainable here, but until recently it has been impossible to buy an ice cream soda. There is now a full-fledged fountain, with conspicuous signs on the windows reading "Soda Fountain—Ice Cream."

Curiously, the neighborhood selected is probably one of the least frequented by Americans of any of the central districts. It is directly opposite the railway terminal which handles passengers from Southern Germany. The arrivals from the house of good Bavarian beer take very kindly to the "new" American beverages, even in the present cold weather.

## Flays Study of Evolution

Should that be Taught in Canada's Schools Says Winnipeg Lawyer

Declaring that evolution is a question of outstanding importance for the consideration of the federal and provincial governments of Canada, R. A. Bonnar, K.C., eminent criminal lawyer of Winnipeg, favors abolition of the subject from the public school curriculum.

Bellar, in evolution, Mr. Bonnar said, tended to abolish the human race. "If all the people of Canada were athletes we would have a nation of monkeys," he added. "Why people ought to be more decent than monkeys I cannot understand. They are quite welcome to insult their ancestors in this manner, but I am sure none were not monkeys."

Arms Parity Invitations Issued

Formal invitations for the Geneva naval conference to be held at Geneva at as early a date after June 1 as is convenient have been handed by the United States Government to the British and Japanese ambassadors. The text of the formal invitation is understood not to contain any fixed intention to guide the Geneva negotiations.

An efficient Japanese scholar will be familiar with 4,000 Japanese characters used in the language.



Lord Blyth of Blyth will soon have his estate, Thorpe Hall, Essex, England, stocked with wild ducks from the Canadian prairies. Having expressed a desire to stock his estate, he was presented with a gift of twenty-five wild ducks from the Provincial Government of Manitoba. The

## Girl's Jest Starts Apple Industry And This Year the American North- west Will Celebrate Centennial of Founding of Business

Because just one hundred years ago a pretty English girl would have her little joke the centenary of the American Northwest's apple industry is to be celebrated at Appleton, Wis. This spring, Evans, that joke the Northwest has built an apple business amounting to millions of boxes each year.

In the spring of 1826 Captain Paulinus Simpson, a Hudson's Bay Company skipper, was given a banquette in London. He made a joke, pretty girl, Mary Leigh. The captain told her of the American wilderness. Mary Leigh hit into a red apple and, laughing the pilot, presented him to the captain, with the laugh suggestion that he need not lack fruit "in the wilderness."

Simpson slipped the apple into his dress-coat pocket. Eight months later he arrived at Fort Vancouver. The pilot was carefully pleased to see a box. All winter the box was placed in charge of trusted Indians. Next spring the captain was disappointed to find a shattered wood container.

In three or four years one tiny green apple appeared. It was the first of the Western apples, and the chiefs and white traders and trappers came in and, with ceremonies, the small apple was divided among them.

From that romantic start grew the Northwest apple industry.

## Is Canadian Better Farmer?

Washington Paper Refers To Their Successful Competition With American Agriculturists

"Is the Canadian a better farmer than his fellow agriculturists on the United States side of the boundary?" The Washington Post asks this question in regard to the passage through Congress of the Prairie Relief Bill, which the President has vetoed.

The newspaper finds it "difficult to understand how the Canadian wheat farmer can compete with his American cousin in the wheat market on this side of the line against the yield of 50 cents per bushel." Yet the Canadian farmer does compete in the market, the Post says, and quotes official records of imports of wheat for milling, re-export and domestic use.

"It can not be claimed," the Post goes on, "that the Canadian farmer has any advantage over the agriculturist in the United States. The climate of the Canadian wheat region differs very little, if at all, from the climate of the American wheat belt, especially the spring wheat region. Yet the Canadian farmer has managed his operations."

## Scientist Has New Theory

Important Pronouncement on Origin of Man is Looked For

Dr. Arthur Keith, world famous anthropologist, is preparing a lecture for delivery before the Royal Anthropological Institute, which is held at 21, Bedford Square, London. A very important pronouncement on the origin and development of man since Darwin pronounced his theory of descent.

Scientists are expecting him to suggest modification of the Darwinian theory, which would emphasize many human and human qualities, contrasting the old theory of man's straight descent along one branch from animals.

## Will Save India First

India will be the first destination of the complete airship service and the two super-dreadnoughts of the air are to be put in commission for the eastern route. The Canadian flight is not expected to materialize now for some considerable time, eighteen months at least.



## Wild Ducks for Lord Blyth's Estate

Canadian Prairie Express Company handled the shipment through London recently and delivered the ducks at St. John. The ducks, called on by the Canadian, were "Metropol" for England. The above photograph shows the ducks in their crate at the Express yards. The ducks seemed to

# Canadian Scientists Investigate Theory That This Continent Is Drifting Towards West

## Used As An Alibi

Soviet Russia Places Responsibility for Propaganda on Third International

Soviet Russia has a good story in the Third International. The Third International spreads all the literature and does all the proselyting. When somebody complains Soviet Russia replies: "Why, that's just a political party, like the Democrats in America or the Conservatives in England."

It sounds all right until one dips into the facts. There are two parties in America and three or four in Russia, but only one in Canada.

So far as Soviet Russia is concerned, it knows not one political system but knows but one fact—that which is represented by the Third International. Until it have itself some responsibility for what the Third International convulses at by way of stirring up trouble in other countries.

## Winnipeg Newspaper Union



A Smart Daytime Dress for the Junior Miss

A striking dress, modeled by the use of two materials in fashioning this smart and practical dress as in View A. The skirt has inverted pleats at front and back and is joined to a yoke. There is a convertible collar with long lightning sleeves finished with cuffs, waist pockets and a fish belt. View B is the same dress made of one material, having the cuffs on the sleeves and collar of the yoke simply bound. No. 1259 is in sizes 8, 10, 12 and 14 years. Size 10 requires 2 1/2 yards 29-inch material, or 2 1/4 yards 34-inch. Y-A requires 1 1/2 yards 29-inch material for short sleeves. Price, 25 cents the dress.

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The first stage of an investigation into a theory that the Americans have been drifting westward has been completed, Canada and 29 other countries being included in the study. Effort to prove the theory first held by Wegener, an Australian physicist.

Strictly, the theory is that in the progress of the ages the Americas have been gradually drifting westward. It is claimed that evidence of a coast range of mountains extending throughout the whole length of these continents is simply the effect of buckling or crumpling at the foreward edge due to this drift. The present rate of the drift is estimated at one meter a year.

Through an international arrangement 59 stations distributed in 30 countries were united in a longitude net by astronomical observations related with radio line signals. The relative longitude of these stations being in fact determined, it will be possible by a repetition of the observations at some future date definitely to settle the question of continental drift.

Canada took part in the investigation by occupying two stations, one at Ottawa and the other at Vancouver. At each station two observatories were constantly in use as well as auxiliary equipment of clocks, chronometers and other instruments. At Ottawa astronomical observations were obtained on 23 nights, and at Vancouver on 25. At each place two long signals from two different sounding stations were received and measured at all hours of the day and night, the observations being distinct signals amounting to over 1,200. Observations to determine the relative personal equations of the four observers engaged were made at the Dominion Observatory, Ottawa, both before and after the main series of observations.

Other investigations have established many favorable points in connection with the theory of drift. It is well established that the continents are long-continued stresses, to gradual deformation. Thus continents may be considered as floating on a substratum which, when considered over long periods of time, acts like a semi-plastic fluid. It has also been proved that the earth's crust is not absolutely rigid, but is susceptible of the action of long-continued stresses, to gradual deformation. Thus continents may be considered as floating on a substratum which, when considered over long periods of time, acts like a semi-plastic fluid. It has also been proved that the earth's crust is not absolutely rigid, but is susceptible of the action of long-continued stresses, to gradual deformation. Thus continents may be considered as floating on a substratum which, when considered over long periods of time, acts like a semi-plastic fluid.

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## Soviet Purchases in Canada

Louis Knott, trade delegate for the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, has confirmed the report that orders for \$1,000,000 worth of timber have been placed by Russia in Canada. The timber is to be used for the construction of other goods which will be made in the Dominion.

Provision of an embargo is regarded by the natives of French West Africa as a mark of distinction. Hence the natives strenuously use their money to purchase one or more umbrellas.

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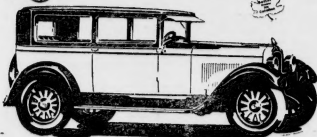
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## Local and General

John Matlock has purchased the Cassidy property at present occupied by B. Hummel.

Rev. Dr. Kerby was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Campbell while in town.

Mrs. C. H. Boner is in a Calgary hospital, recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smith moved to the farm this week, F. Cool moving to their residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ditto and family returned from Spokane during the week, where they had spent the winter.

J. M. Moffatt sold a carload of Chevrolets and three Dodge cars within the past few days.

R. Tyler has added a Chrysler 50 to his equipment for selling machinery and will be able to travel after business as fast as any of them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sutton and W. E. Anderson returned this week from Long Beach, Cal., where they had spent the winter.

Thos. Chambers returned to town this week after a flying trip to Glasgow, Scotland. Around the world in eighty days was slow to the time he made.

An outbreak of scarlet fever in town has resulted in the school being closed and public gatherings banned for the present. It is anticipated the further spread of the epidemic will be prevented by the prompt action taken by the health officer.

## UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA

On Sunday March 27, the Rev. J. L. Wright of Parkland will exchange with the pastor, taking the week for the day. The people are asked to greet Mr. Wright cordially and to wait with interest upon his ministry.

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As I am leaving I am offering for sale my auto feed grinder, 23 model Ford and 12 inch roller. All in good running order. A real good opportunity to make money. Apply to Fred Smith, phone 1303 Champion.

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One bay gelding, blaze in face, shod in front, white stocking on hind leg. Reward of \$10.00 for information leading to recovery. Notify H. E. Claywell, Champion Alta.

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Men's cream Elk, all leather Shoe, special, per pair.....	3.50
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## Special For Saturday Only

Large size Ontario Apples, fresh new stock special, Sat. only, per case.....\$2.75  
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